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COVINA TIED TO LOS ANGELES

Last Gap is Closed in the New Trolley Line.

With the installation Tuesday of the crossing of the Pacific Electric and Southern Pacific lines at El Monte, Los Angeles and Covina now are linked by trolley. The building of the electric line that has been in prospect for about six years will soon be completed. Cars will be run between Los Angeles and Covina, it is promised, by July 1. A part of the line, from Los Angeles to Romona Acres, will be opened tomorrow.

A gang of men Tuesday placed in position the steel crossing over the tracks of the Southern Pacific at El Monte, thus filling the last gap in the continuous electric road between Covina and Los Angeles, twenty-one and one-half miles distant, and the arrival of the car July 1 will signalize the completion of a work which the people of this city have been engaged since 1901, when the movement was started to secure a right of way for the electric line.

Fifty thousand dollars was contributed by the people of Covina and adjacent territory to pay for the necessary right of way, which is ample for four tracks, and which extends from El Monte to a point two miles east of Covina.

Two tracks have been laid from Los Angeles to Ramona, and from there through El Monte to Vineland, or Baldwin Park, one track so far has been laid. From Baldwin Park to Covina the line is double-tracked.

In many ways this newest line of the Huntington system is the most remarkable of all. For the entire length it runs over a private right of way, and there are only three curves of any consequence between Covina and Los Angeles, a factor that will make for rapid time. It is expected that the local trains will make the run in three-quarters of an hour, while the "flyers" will make it in thirty-five minutes.

The track is laid with eighty-pound steel, and the trolley wire is the heaviest in use anywhere.

The principal reason for this extreme care to make the line substantial is that it is the preliminary stretch of the road that eventually will connect Los Angeles and Riverside.

Leaving Los Angeles, the new line follows the route of the old San Gabriel Valley Rapid Transit Company from a point on Aliso street, just east of the river, thence over the route of this one-time "jerkwater" to Ramona, and then on in almost a straight line to Covina.

On Thursday H. E. Huntington, accompanied by chief engineer Pillsbury, general passenger agent McMillan, attorney Dunn, and several other prominent railroad men rode over the line, remaining in Covina for over an hour.

Boys Placed in Parental Charge.

On Thursday Judge Wilbur released the boys, Cullen Motter and Samuel Overholtzer, placing them in the care of their parents with the understanding that they were to be placed in schools under strict discipline. The court held that the charge of assault with felonious intent had not been sustained, characterizing the offense as a simple assault. The boys now fully realize the grave and compromising position they have placed themselves in and express profound regret for their conduct and a determination on their part to conduct themselves in the future as to be a credit to their parents, whom they have caused such grave anxiety and sorrow.

Cullen Motter will leave on Monday with his mother for the East and Samuel Overholtzer will remain for the present in Los Angeles, where he undergoes an operation for his throat.

Death of Mrs. Jane Russell.

The death of Mrs. Jane Russell, which occurred on Wednesday afternoon at the family home on West Badillo street, at the age of 75 years, removes from our midst an every-day Christian, with a life whose beautifying influence and character was as strong and spotless as that of any of the noble women who have lived and died during the ages that are gone.

Impressive funeral services were conducted at the home by the Rev. Harry W. White, pastor of the M. E. Church, yesterday afternoon, when all that was mortal of the grand old mother in Israel was tenderly conveyed to our Silent City, Oakdale cemetery, where by the side of a devoted husband she now rests in peace. No one ever entered her home without a warm welcome, nor left without feeling the warmth of a genuine hospitality so characteristic of the people of her ancestors.

Mrs. Jane Russell was born near Ballybay county, Monaghan, Ireland, November 2, 1831. In the year 1851 she came to America and made her home at Venice, Illinois. She was married shortly afterward to George Pate and to them was born one child, Andrew, he dying at the age of nine years. She was left a widow two years after their marriage. The following seventeen years' struggle and hardship brought out the dross and left nothing but the pure gold in the character of the deceased.

On Nov. 8, 1870, she was united in marriage to James W. Russell, with whom she lived a most happy and devoted life until his death nine years ago, which took place at the family residence in Covina.

About eighteen years ago she and her husband made a visit to her birthplace, bringing back with them their niece, Miss Anna Breakay, now Mrs. Finch, whom they took into their hearts and home as their own daughter.

They removed to Covina in the year 1891, having resided here ever since.

In girlhood the deceased was a member of the Presbyterian Church, but on coming to America united with the Methodist Episcopal Church, of which she has been a faithful member for more than half a century, never missing an opportunity to testify for her Savior; expressing her desire to live close to Him.

Deceased had been in failing health all winter, confined to her bed for the past seven weeks and on Wednesday, June 12, at 4:30 p. m., surrounded by her family and a few intimate friends, the silver chord was loosed and her spirit took flight to the realms of bliss.

Five nieces, Mrs. Anna Finch, the Misses Maggie, Mattie and Leticia Breakay, Mrs. Frank Smith and a brother-in-law, Mr. Harris, are left to mourn her loss. She had been all that a mother could be to her orphan nieces, and the going out of her life, which has so long been interwoven with theirs, causes the deepest sorrow in the hearts of her loved ones.

Prosperity at Charter Oak.

Charter Oak is now a stopping place for all regular trains, and a flag station for the inside flyer.

One hundred and forty-eight cars of Washington navels were shipped from this place this season. This is the largest pack ever put up, and almost three times last year's output. There are about thirty cars of Valencia still to be shipped. More young trees have been planted this year than ever before.

No doubt Charter Oak will be the shipping point for the cement material recently discovered near the Englehardt ranch, which will insure an up-to-date freight station at this point.

Arrival of Thoroughbred Stock.

J. W. Riggins of Waco, Texas, who recently purchased the Hollenbeck ranch, arrived on Monday with 140 head of mules, horses, mares and colts. It was a tedious trip, the stock being ten days on the road. The shipment includes some of the finest blood that Texas produces.

Mr. Riggins will be joined here in a few days by his wife and family.

Flower Show.

As it is somewhat late to start chrysanthemums, the fair to be held by the Monday Afternoon Club this fall will be a general flower and plant show, with appropriate prizes, of which details will be given later.

The following was written for the club by a practical and skilled florist of the vicinity:

"Plants to be exhibited in pots in the fall should be grown in the pots, as it would not be possible to move them satisfactorily at that time. Cut blooms can be exhibited from plants grown in the ground. Plants can still be obtained, and should be set at once, as it is somewhat late now to plant them. Plants already growing are about ready to be headed back. At the top of each chrysanthemum plant from four to five buds appear, and all but one should be removed. This is what is meant by heading back. New shoots will appear at each joint of the plant, and every two weeks they should be broken off. The object of this is to leave only one flower on a plant, so as to secure a large size. The plants require copious waterings so that the roots shall be kept well moistened. Water thoroughly once in two weeks, or every week if light soil or great heat appear to make it necessary. Keep the top soil well cultivated. Provide rich soil."

City Business.

The city trustees met in regular session on Tuesday.

A criticism on the non-enforcement of the prohibition ordinance produced a warm and lively discussion. While some difference of opinion existed as to the best way to be pursued to secure the best results, there was perfect unanimity of all members of the board that all forms of drunkenness and insobriety should be suppressed with a vigorous hand, and the city marshal was so instructed. Dispensers of wet goods will find it to their advantage to govern themselves accordingly.

It was also suggested to the marshal that the setting off of fireworks on the public thoroughfares be not permitted until July 4th.

High School Notes.

The events of commencement will be as follows:

Sunday, June 16, 8 p. m., class sermon, by Rev. H. W. White, at the Christian Church.

Monday, June 17, at 1:15 p. m., grammar eighth graduates received at the high school auditorium. At 8 p. m. the annual Junior reception to the Seniors.

Tuesday, June 18, annual meeting of the Student Body.

Wednesday, June 19, class day exercise, high school auditorium, 8:15 p. m.

Thursday, June 20, 2:30 p. m., Literary Society meeting. The program will be in charge of the Juniors.

Friday, June 21st, graduating exercises at the Woman's Club House at 8:20 p. m. The commencement address will be given by Rev. Robert J. Burdette. He will give his humorous lecture on the subject, "A Twice Told Tale." Admission will be by ticket until 8 o'clock. At 8:15 the doors will be thrown open and seats unoccupied may be taken. On account of the limited capacity of the hall it has been thought best to restrict the admission to those who are more than twelve years of age.

Examinations will occupy the entire time of the morning sessions and a part of the afternoon sessions next week. Students who have made an average of "C" throughout the year are excused from final examinations and will be given credit for the work, provided they report for roll call throughout the week.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank the kind friends and neighbors who extended us their sympathy and help during the sickness and death of our beloved aunt, Mrs. Jane Russell.

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Built on the old clipper model, they sail like witches and owing to their peculiar construction can be readily loaded and discharged. They require but little ballast and having no heavy top hamper can, if necessary to the trade, take on immense deck loads. In the lumber traffic of the Pacific northwest we find these vessels leaving port with huge deck loads towering ten to fifteen feet above the rail. Occasionally they get caught in a blow and have to sacrifice a portion of the deck load, but where one meets such a mishap dozens reach their destinations safely and land their cargoes intact.—James G. McCurdy in Outing Magazine.

A GAME OF POKER.

It Was an Object Lesson on Playing Cards With Strangers.

A card sharp well known to the stewards of the great ocean liners was a passenger on a recent trip across. He received a line at Queenstown, which had the effect of keeping him out of the large games in the smoking room. He contented himself with penicill and bridge at 25 cents a hundred points. On the evening before landing one of his bridge party, none of whom knew that he was a professional with a bad record, proposed changing the game to poker. "It's bad practice," said the card sharp, "to play poker with strangers. There's too much risk, but it's all right in this case." The others said there was no risk if a man had good sense and kept his eyes open. The deal fell to the professional, and when cards had been drawn by each man he said: "Now I'll show you how much you know. Mr. A, you have the winning hand. Mr. B, your three queens look good, but what show have they against Mr. C's four fives? And what good are they against A's four kings? Does it tally?"

It did, and A said, "Well, it's my pot." "I was afraid that might happen, so I dealt myself a straight flush." He showed it, arose from his chair and said: "Give the steward what I put in. This was an object lesson—don't play poker with strangers."—New York Tribune.

The Barbecue.

The word "barbecue" is derived from the Spanish word "barbaceno" and is a native Haitian term for a wooden framework supporting meat or fish to be smoked or dried over a fire. In its popular sense it means a large social or political entertainment in the open air at which sheep or oxen are roasted whole and all the feasting is on a most liberal scale. Georgia is probably the native home of the barbecue and is called the Barbecue State. Who prepared the first barbecue is unknown. Deer, bear and other game constituted the meat roasted in the barbecues of fifty years ago.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

The Butcher's Smock.

The butcher's smock was blue. It looked much neater than the white smocks of his friends, all smeared with dried blood. "Every butcher," said the man, "ought to wear a blue smock. Why? Because dry blood won't show on it. Dry blood turns bluish, and on a smock of this color it is invisible. I am descended from a long line of butchers, and from father to son the word has been passed down always to wear, for neatness' sake, a smock of blue."—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

CROUTONS.

To cut bread into dice before frying. If it is to be used as croutons, is not the most approved method. When done in this way it becomes very hard and indigestible. The bread should rather be cut into thin slices and then stamped out in circles a little larger than a quarter or cut into squares of about the same size or in oblongs two inches long and over one-half inch thick. These tossed into hot lard and taken out almost instantly in the frying basket are the most palatable.

Queer Marriages.

In southern India marriage with inanimate objects is not altogether unknown. A man who has lost two wives and wishes to marry another will go through a formal marriage ceremony with a plantain tree, which is afterward cut down. This stands for the third marriage, which is considered inauspicious, and the man feels free to make a fourth marriage with a third woman.

The Modern Version.

"I want my boy to be able to earn his own living." "To earn it, Mr. Mercury?" "Well, to get it."—Washington Star.

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Assessment Notice.

Covina Garage and Machine Shop Association, location of principal place of business, Covina, California.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the board of directors of the Covina Garage and Machine Shop Association, held on the 10th day of June, 1907, an assessment of five dollars (\$5.00) per share was levied on the subscribed capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in lawful money of the United States of America, to the secretary of the corporation at his office in Covina, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 13th day of July, 1907, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 13th day of August, 1907, at 1 p. m., to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expense of sale.

A. R. EVANS, Secretary.

Office of the company at Citrus avenue, Covina, California.

Knights Templar Tour.

G. L. Travis, commercial agent of the Southern Pacific, Pomona, has received copies of the itinerary of the Knights Templar tour to Saratoga. The magnificent special train will leave Los Angeles July 3rd, at 7:30 p. m., in charge of one of the best posted managers of the tourist department. The party will spend the 4th seeing "New San Francisco," 5th at Lake Tahoe, 6th, "Going to Sea by Rail," daylight trip across the Great Salt Lake. They will also have a trip through Canada, with stop at Niagara Falls, then "Down the Hudson." Mr. Travis has copies of the itinerary for distribution and will be glad to tell about "the trip of your life."

ANNUAL MEETING.

To the stockholders of the San Gabriel Valley Milling Company:

Please take notice that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the San Gabriel Valley Milling Company will be held at the principal office of the company, in the town of Covina, Los Angeles County, California, on Saturday, the 10th day of June, 1907, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of electing directors, amending the by-laws and transacting any other business that may properly come before the meeting.

By order of the board of directors.
L. L. RATEKIN, Secretary.

Notice to Creditors.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles.

In the matter of the estate of George Guinther, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of George Guinther, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against, the said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers within four (4) months after the first publication of this notice, to the said G. H. White, administrator of said estate, at the law offices of George L. Sanders, 325-335 Wilcox Building, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, the same being the place of the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Los Angeles.

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G. H. WHITE,
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There is no country where the matter of landing from American passenger ships is so easy and so expeditiously done as England, says the Travel Magazine. Of course it is a free trade country, the freest in the whole world. There are duties levied on tobacco and spirits, but travelers are allowed a half pound of tobacco in any shape and a half pint of spirits, which also includes perfume. Sugar is dutiable, whether in grain, sweets or in jam, but a small quantity is freely passed. In all cases, however, these goods must be the actual property of the passenger and be for his use and control. Cocoa, coffee and tea are also dutiable, as are reprints of English books. Outside of these things, as named, passengers can bring in anything—motors, cycles, horses, but not dogs, which animals a not to exceed six months' quarantine awaits. Keep dogs on the American side. The customs officials are life appointees—under the civil service—and will be found most obliging and helpful. In fact, they are a model to the customs world. Tell the truth at all times to these officials and you will be all right. They are marvelously keen on spotting the supposedly smart liar. Lying doesn't pay "anyhow, Hennessey!" at home or abroad.

TESTATORS' LAST WISHES.

Strange Requests Regarding the Arrangement of Funerals.

Sir James Colquhoun's desire to be buried in full evening dress costume recalls, says the London Standard, curious last wishes of other testators.

George Herring directed that his remains should lie beneath a sundial at the Haven of Rest, Maldenhead. Queen Victoria planned the entire programme for her funeral, even choosing the music to be played, the anthems to be sung.

A couple of months ago a young lady who died at Reigate on the eve of her wedding was buried in her bridal dress, the friends who were to have been her bridesmaids attending the funeral in the gowns which they should have worn at the wedding and carrying in place of wreaths the wedding bouquets.

More singular was the funeral of Major General Algernon Stewart at Hascombe, Surrey. The coffin was drawn to the grave by the dead man's horse. The mourners walked, and the bearers wore old fashioned smocks, each with its collar adorned with a text. The same men appeared in their mourning garments at the church service on the following Sunday.

Disqualified.

Although Mrs. Harlow loved her husband and admired what she considered his good points, it was a never ending source of amazement to her that he had been chosen to fill the office of mayor for three successive terms.

"Everybody knows how much I think of James," she said in a dazed way to one of her husband's cousins. "I always said and always should say that he is as good as gold. But if you'll tell me whether you think a man who is color blind and who brings home toys that won't go when you wind them and who still thinks I could like olives if I'd only try is fit for such a position why, all I can say is I don't."—Youth's Companion.

A Chinese Idea of Foreigners.

The following is a quite modern Chinese conception of the foreigners' treatment of infectious cases: "If an epidemic broke out two foreigners took the sick away and put them in a little room, washed them with blue water and then locked them up so that no one could see them on purpose that they might soon die and not propagate the disease. Wives and children might cry and weep, but the foreigner would but drive them away with sticks, for until dead no one must see those faces again. Better for all of us to jump into the sea than submit to this."—South China Post.

Antiquity of an Old Tune.

When Napoleon's army was in Egypt in 1799 and the band struck up the tune which in England is set to the song "We Won't Go Home Till Morning" its effect on the Bedouins was electrical. They leaped and shouted and embraced one another deliciously. They averred that they were listening to the oldest and most popular tune of their people. It is thought that the tune was brought to Europe from the dark continent in the eleventh century by the Crusaders.—St. James' Gazette.

The Appetite.

"The appetite," said the physician, "is always a consideration of great importance."

"Yes," answered the man who is painfully economical. "If you have a poor one you worry about your health, and if you have a good one you worry about the expense."—Washington Star.

In Ignorance.

"Your husband seems to have an exalted opinion of you," remarked the bride's aunt. "He says you are his right hand."

"Yes," rejoined the young wife, with a sigh, "but he's one of those men who never let their right hand know what their left hand does."

Wrong Man.

"You understand," said the captain, "that we want a secretary who is thoroughly accustomed to managing men."

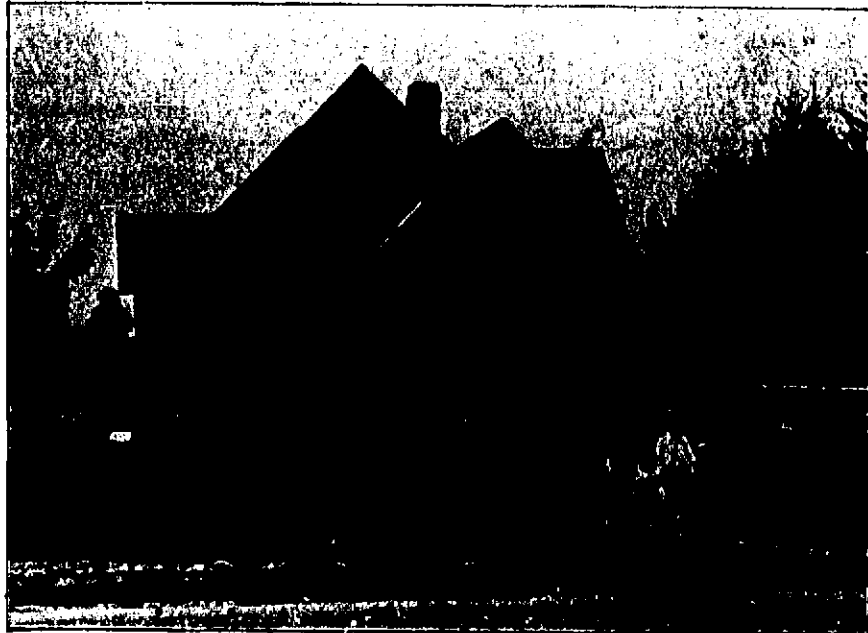
"In that case," answered the applicant sadly, "I'm afraid it's not me you want, but my wife."

COVINA

"A City Among the Orange Groves"

THE above were the words which fell from the lips of Gov. J. N. Gillett of California, when he visited recently this fair gem set in its semi-tropic surroundings. No words more fitting could have been chosen in describing Covina, the chief town of the far-famed San Gabriel Valley. Every boulevard and driveway for miles in every direction is flanked with peerless groves, and the very atmosphere in the early springtime is laden with the perfume of the orange blossom and the trees laden with the golden ripe fruit. Along these firm, oiled driveways, ornamental vegetation of the common and rarer sorts grows in profusion, and withal are the lovely homes set in spacious grounds, where roses thrive in such varied richness that they appear voluptuous even amidst indescribable floral wealth. Sublimely eminent over the landscape that blesses the eye from Covina is the majestic peak of San Antonio and those of lesser altitude, but none the less beautiful, of the Sierra Madre range, with their snow crowns shining and sparkling like jewels. Covina has no rival in Los Angeles county for beauty of situation. Enhanced by the markings of civilization, its scenic loveliness, viewed in broad perspective, is hardly surpassed anywhere.

There is little danger of incurring any tourist's resentment by advising him to tarry at Covina for more than a casual glance about him. Many things he will treasure in memory are to be seen in and about the pretty burg.



Residence of H. Temple

To the homeseeker Covina extends a standing invitation. The right hand of hospitality is all ways extended to all worthy people to cast their lots with ours and enjoy the grandeur of mountain the perpetual gladness of vernal life, fruiting and flowering in perennial concert, an atmosphere blending the azone of mountain tops with the tincture of the sea, the conveniences of civilization, and an opportunity of securing handsome returns for their labors in the cultivation of our groves.

Covina was incorporated as a city in 1901, and at once took rank as one of the best governed cities of California, which position it holds steadfastly.

Our population is estimated at 2500.

Covina is located twenty-one miles east of Los Angeles in the upper San Gabriel Valley. It is connected with Los Angeles and other points by the Southern Pacific railroad and the new line of the Pacific Electric, which furnishes hourly service, with a running time of 35 minutes, through many miles of the finest orange groves.

The public schools of Covina are the pride of the people and the buildings are constructed after the most approved modern plan. In all respects they are up-to-date. Our high-school certificates are accepted in the leading colleges and universities, East and West. Grammar school graduates accredited in the high schools of California and all other states.

The people of Covina are, emphatically, church-goers, and each of the six different churches are well attended. The Methodist and Baptist denominations are both building new edifices to accommodate their respective congregations, which had outgrown their present church buildings.

No saloons exist in the city, and those who desire to raise families amid good social and moral environments find here an ideal community.

Covina boasts of a beautiful Carnegie library, built in 1905, which is largely patronized. An especial feature of the institution is the children's reading room.



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In few communities, even in Southern California, can there be found a people more universally imbued with civic pride than are the citizens of Covina. The Covina Home Telephone Company occupies its own building and furnishes a complete and efficient service. Subscribers have the use of over 800 phones, including free connections with the towns of Azusa, Glendora, San Dimas, Charter Oak, Irwindale and Puente. The Covina Gas Company, also a local institution, furnishes gas for both fuel and illumination. The San Gabriel Light and Power Company furnishes light for Covina private homes and streets, which are well lighted by a complete system of incandescent lights. The Covina Land and Water Company, controlled by H. E. Huntington, furnishes the city with a pure water supply under excellent pressure. We have two national and two savings banks. Our stores are of high order and all leading lines of business are represented. The Vendome is a first-class country hotel.

Our clubs are of a social, literary and musical nature. The Monday afternoon Club, a ladies' literary, federated organization, owning a handsome club-house on the corner of Citrus avenue and Center street; the Fortnightly, a gentleman's literary club; the Amphion, a musical organization; and the Covina Country Club, equipped with a suitable and charming building; the San Gabriel Valley Auto Club with its sixty-seven autos make frequent delightful runs over the fine roadways; and the Covina Valley Farmers' Club, devoted to horticultural and public interests. Covina has also its full quota of fraternal organizations.

Covina ranks as the leading orange district of Los Angeles county. Eleven completely equipped packing houses are required to prepare for market the thousands of carloads of oranges which are shipped from this point annually to the eastern markets. In annual shipments Covina ranks first in Los Angeles county and third in the world. The raising of lemons is also a leading industry. Besides our citrus products, deciduous fruits and berries of every kind are grown in abundance. Agricultural products and grains grown on lands southwest of the city also form a leading source of income.

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We, the undersigned members of the Searchlight Railroad Day Excursion, residing in Los Angeles and other Southern California cities, do hereby affirm that Searchlight is a prosperous and growing town, that assuredly is soon to become one of Nevada's largest and most important cities. In our judgment investments in the business and residence property of the original townsite, Grand Central, East End Ormond and Arizona additions can be made with every assurance and profit. Likewise we wish to go on record and state that Searchlight is built on the only feasible site for a city in the entire district and that the town is a well governed community, possessed of all the down to date conveniences that are concomitants to comfort. Again let us appear on record extending a vote of thanks to the citizens of Searchlight, in general, and Senator H. E. Carter, chairman of the arrangement committee in particular, for the royal welcome extended to us.

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"You can double your money in Searchlight real estate."—J. H. Matthews.

Allow me to call the particular attention of my friends, clients and the general public of Covina and vicinity to the above petition, which was signed by practically every member of the excursion party. It is a businesslike document that speaks for itself and in view of the fact that the signers of the petition represent persons who own nearly three-fourths of the business and residence real estate of Searchlight, which they have purchased from the H. H. McCord Co., whom I represent in this city, then some idea can be gained of the class and character of Searchlight that I am urging you to buy.

I have seen Searchlight face to face and the favorable impressions that I have gained are amply corroborated by those whose names appear above. It is a fact that there is no limit to the future of Searchlight, from the standpoint of both mines, agriculture and real estate. It has resources enough to support a city of 100,000 people, and while I do not propose to make predictions that may be called ultra-sanguine in character, still I do believe that money can be invested in Searchlight real estate with greater assurance of safety and profit than in any other place in the state of Nevada. I believe that it is but a question of time until Searchlight will be equal to Goldfield, a town that in four years has grown from a stretch of sage brush desert into a metropolis with a population of 20,000 people where lots that once sold for \$5 now bring up to \$50,000. It is easy for one who has been to Searchlight to see the marks of parallelism between Goldfield and Searchlight, for with surprising steadiness the value of business and residence property is climbing to higher levels; rents are advancing, thus giving evidence of the income-earning power of the ground and the financial situation is such that money can now be obtained easily for all legitimate business purposes.

Secure a foothold in Searchlight real estate and you will unquestionably plant the foundation of a competency. Likewise you will receive a very high rate of income on any improvements made upon residence or business lots that you may acquire, the average rate of income from buildings being 40 to 50 per cent on the investment. Ample fire protection has been provided, so that insurance can be obtained at a moderate cost, and as far as I can see there is every reason to believe that the city will continue to take on additions to its many modern features.

There are lots that I can offer for \$500 that are located within 400 feet of Hobson street, where corners are held as high as \$3000. There is a 50-foot lot on Hobson street close to the intersection of Broadway that I have at \$2250 that is one of the greatest bargains in the camp. You will surely sell 25 feet of this lot for what you pay for the whole of it now, inside of less than a year. If improved with a store building, costing \$1500 you will be assured of two tenants to pay a total of \$100 per month. There are residence lots that I can sell for \$125, lots that are beautifully located, close in, and sure to advance to double in a few months.

You can buy four of these lots with the assurance that you can sell two of them for the price you pay for all in a short time. We pay taxes for the year, and will make easy terms on any property that you wish to buy. There is an investment opportunity awaiting you in Searchlight real estate that is better than any I have ever met in my business career. It would be a pleasure to me to meet interested persons and give them disinterested and comprehensive information in regard to the situation.

Owning Searchlight lots means gold on top of the ground for you, for you will be assured of an income for life in the form of rents from your Searchlight property.

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COVINA, June 15, 1907.

Do We Need a New High School?

Editor of the Covina Argus—

Dear Sir:—At the recent mass meeting I was asked to set forth the needs of a new high school building. Many times since the question has been asked of me.

Supposing that every patron and taxpayer of the district is interested in the answer of this question, I beg the use of your valuable columns to bring this before the people.

It has been truthfully said that bricks and mortar and courses of study do not make a school, but earnest young men and women and ideals.

It is also true that the education of twenty-five years ago was different from that of today, which needs a different equipment.

Then it was classical and theoretical; today it is scientific and practical. That which sufficed in the days of Garfield is inadequate today. The farmer of that period raised good crops by using the wooden mould-board plow and the brush harrow, but the agriculturist of today must have his disc plow and his spring-toothed harrow. So the school building of today must have more than four walls, chairs and a teacher's desk. Modern education also demands that there is sufficient room for efficient work.

In Covina we have, at the present time, a building containing four good recitation rooms, a physics laboratory, a commercial department, (the latter two are also used for recitation purposes), a library and an assembly room.

The chemical laboratory, which is at present in the basement of the grammar building, is poorly lighted, illy ventilated and antiquated in equipment. Moreover the plumbing is poor and the general condition such that it is difficult to do work which the universities will accept. An overhauling of the plumbing and equipment within the next two years will cost from \$200 to \$300 and the building of a new room and equipment, near the present high school, would cost from \$800 to \$1000.

The physical laboratory, with its various tables and the delicate apparatus, is not the most convenient nor the most economical place, on account of the danger of injury to the instruments, to hold recitations in other subjects. It has been necessary during the past year, and I believe before, to carry on the drawing in the commercial room. Here the suitable arrangement of models, which should be undisturbed for several days, and the right position of the student, with his easel, have been almost impossible on account of the high and broad tables used in the commercial department. Again, the commercial work is largely individual and the students in that work should be free to consult with the teacher at all times without disturbing another class at work.

It is planned to use the library for some of the recitations of the smaller classes next year and thus give the drawing the use of one of the recitation rooms. This again prevents the free use of the library by those in the study room while it is being used for class work.

The assembly and study room now has a seating capacity of ninety-one. By reseating with narrower aisles, seats may be arranged for 120 pupils, and we expect this number next year. Without additional room, what can we do for 1908-9, when we may reasonably expect an enrollment of 150 pupils?

The above is an enumeration of what we have, the bare necessities for existence as a high school, and the conditions as they are today, with no provision for the near future.

We have no typewriting room where the teacher can oversee the work, a necessary condition for efficient work. We have no rest room where teachers or pupils can be taken in case of sudden illness or accident. We have no lunch rooms, but the students in inclement weather must crowd around the furnace in the basement, stand in the hallways or use a

recitation room, in all of which the air is vitiated or the surroundings unwholesome. We have no cloak room, but permit the boys and girls to hang their wraps around the ball ways or in the lavatories.

We have no gymnasium nor any facilities for physical culture, and yet we deem it essential to try to carry on this work. We have no laboratory for physical geography work, hence cannot offer a course in this subject, which many of our best high schools are now offering.

We need these facilities and conditions and the best is none too good for Covina.

Around us on every hand the people demand and have these things. At Azusa, at Pomona, at Alhambra, at South Pasadena, at Whittier, the people have voted ample funds and the trustees have provided all of the things we lack for their schools.

Alhambra has put \$55,000 into her new high school building alone. South Pasadena has just completed a handsome new high school at a cost of not less than \$50,000. Whittier has one of the most beautiful and best equipped high schools in Southern California and Pomona boasts of her handsome new structure.

Covina High School District, which now has a population of 2100 and an assessed valuation of \$1,125,577, will, with a conservative estimate, in five years have a population of 5000 and an assessed valuation of almost \$2,000,000. We have enrolled 98 pupils this year. Thirty more will be the limit of our present capacity. What will we do with the additional 100 or 150 we may reasonably expect within the next three or five years?

Again, our grammar grade building is now all in use and some of the rooms are crowded. With a new building for the high school the present high school building could be used for the upper grammar grades.

Providing for the high school now will relieve both schools from the congestion which two years will surely bring. Yours very truly,

A. H. COLLINS.

It seems that the noxious weed bill introduced by Senator Bell of Pasadena, passed the senate and not the assembly, so street superintendents cannot oblige the removal of weeds in front of lots by owners or have it done at their expense. Assemblyman Thompson's noxious weed bill passed both houses, but was refused approval by the governor.

Brethren News.

C. C. Cripe, a very promising young minister from South Bend, Ind., gave a splendid address Sunday morning. He is visiting his uncle, D. H. Weaver, of Glendora.

Elder David Bowman, one of Missouri's standard bearers, spoke feelingly Sunday evening on the "Divine Satisfaction as Witnessed in the Life and Death of the Christ."

Elder A. C. Weiland, graduate of Harvard, Berlin and principal of Bethany Bible School, Chicago, will fill the pulpit Sunday morning. Prof. Weiland is a matchless teacher, always filling the ears of his hearers with the good. Come and hear him.

The Sewing Circle held a well attended and busy meeting Thursday afternoon at the church.

—Contributed.

Decoration calendar pads at Clapp's drug store. If

David and Will Swinger of Ohio spent the week end at the home of Perry Bashore.

M. P. Custer and family have moved to Butte City, in the central part of the state, where they have farming interests.

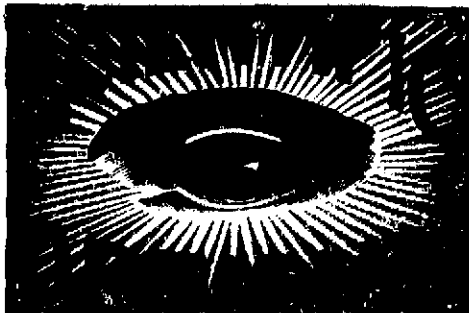
FOR SALE:—2nd cutting alfalfa, clean, \$9.00 in the field. Also a few more mules left. One mile north of Puente. Pickewirth Rauch. Itp

Edward McCarthy of the McCarthy Co., Los Angeles, was in town Wednesday to look after the company's land. The company has 100 acres of fine orange land on Badillo street. Edward McCarthy has 10 acres indiv. ually which he contemplates planting to Valencia's, and building a nice country home for his own use. The company anticipates this land will bring \$500 an acre this year.

The District Missionary Convention of the Presbyterian Church was held Friday in the Woman's Club House. Delegates from Pomona, South Pasadena, Azusa and Monrovia were present, together with a large representation for the local society. Mrs. Maxfield of Pasadena, presided in her customary delightful manner. Each number on the program was proved very inspiring and all reports were encouraging. Special thanks are due the luncheon committee and the young ladies of the C. E. who served.

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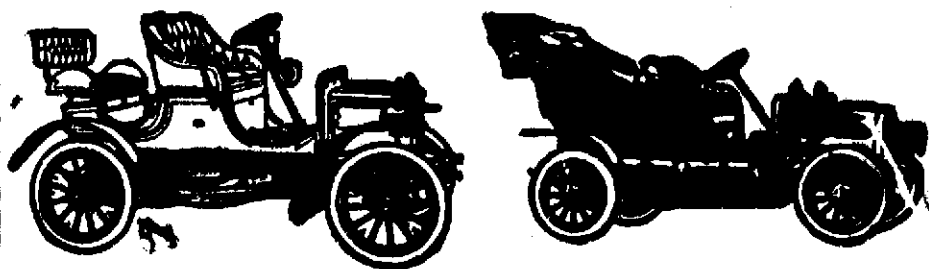
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COUNTY DIVISION.

Important announcements will be made in this space from week to week. We shall also show why for twenty years the creation of a new county out of parts of Los Angeles and San Bernardino counties has been agitated. The most important arguments for this project cannot be stated in figures. We shall use some statistics, some maps and some graphic illustrations. We believe all who are immediately interested will come to see what some have long seen, that it is to the interests of this compact geographical district to govern itself. Our social, financial and industrial interests impel us to become a political unit. The principle of local self-government is the American spirit. When conditions are favorable it is inevitable that the principle will be realized.

"Old Baldy" is our common two-mile barrier against the desert, and, with his rampart peaks, is the great bulk against whose slopes our saving rains are poured. The San Antonio, San Dimas and upper San Gabriel water sheds are the indispensable basis of our homes and all our material prosperity. Our interests in Mt. San Antonio, in the canyons and water sheds are identical, and they are not shared by any others in the same degree. Obviously they ought to be under the immediate control of those whose living and wealth depend upon them absolutely.

No county lines in the state are so clearly drawn by natural boundaries as the eastern and western boundaries of the proposed county. The vineyards of Cucamonga reach southward to the great grain, hay and beet belt which stretches from Chino valley westward along the Puente hills to the San Gabriel river. Included

within these walls of green is the largest unbroken citrus fruit belt in the world. The interests of the fruit grower, the grain grower and the grape grower are all one, especially in the matter of water supply. These interests can be better guarded, administered and controlled by those whose living is dependent upon them than by any other persons on earth.

Our section is almost exclusively an agricultural district. Fully nine-tenths of the population are ranchers or immediately dependent upon ranch work and production for their living. Being men of common calling, having common interests in the conditions of productivity in the soil and understanding the needs and demands of all, they are in better position to administer their public needs than to have it done for them by outsiders, by men of the profession of politics.

The district is morally, intellectually and financially capable of conducting their county business in the most efficient and economical manner. It is superfluous to argue a proposition so self-evident.

We shall submit, next week, some statistics which will go to prove that political conditions outside of this district make it still further evident that we ought to be in the management of our own affairs. Whether the name suggested, San Antonio county, meets the approval of the public or not remains to be determined. That the new county ought to be formed is becoming increasingly evident daily.

Address all communications to
The County Division Bureau,
R. P. Shepherd, Sec'y,
Pomona, Cal.

Local Events.

The Baptist Sunday-school is picnicking in Dalton canyon today.

Boys, don't forget the pretty girl conductors and the baseball games at Vineland on Saturday.

Place your savings in the United States Savings Bank of Covina and secure 4 per cent interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Smart, parents of Mrs. S. Jessup, spent Sunday at the Jessup home.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Macchitlen and Mrs. Craig of Los Angeles were guests on Sunday at the Macchitlen home.

Mrs. C. Sprout of Pomona and Mrs. Adams of Long Beach were guests Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Jessup.

F. H. Goff, well known to relatives and friends in Covina, has left Glendora and returned to Bakersfield, where he has business interests.

Mrs. Calvin Baker and her mother-in-law, Mrs. Harriet Baker, left last week for Carthage, Mo., where they will visit relatives.

F. R. Davis, uncle of the Menefee brothers, and Mr. White of Kingman, Arizona, are visiting at the Menefee home this week.

A largely attended and specially interesting meeting of the Eastern Star was held on Tuesday evening, and after the regular business a happy social time was enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Steel of Cedar Falls, Iowa, are at the Vendome and will move to the ranch bought by Mrs. Merrill, mother of Mrs. Steel, and take care of it for her.

Rev. E. Riley, assistant pastor of the Christian Church at Pasadena, spent Monday with Rev. and Mrs. Conley, having come over to attend the funeral of Mrs. Allen.

Little Fern Snively of Irwindale, reported ill with membranous croup in last week's Argus, died on Saturday last and was buried on Sunday by the Rev. Conley. Impressive and beautiful services were held in the Christian Church.

One of the most interesting events of the season will be "Trolley Day," on Saturday, June 22nd, for the benefit of the Presbyterian Church. Pretty conductors, refreshments of all kinds, games and sports. From early morning till late night.

Mrs. M. E. Hollywood, special organizer of the Women of Woodcraft, is in Covina and will remain a week with Orange Blossom Circle. This lodge will hold their semi-annual election of officers on June 19th, has fifty members with the prospects of a large increase.

On Wednesday last, W. Q. Custer disinterred the bodies of the two daughters of D. W. Mowe of Glendora, which have laid in Oakdale cemetery two years and one year respectively, and which were in a fine state of preservation. Mr. Mowe left on the Santa Fe in the evening with his family and the remains of his loved ones.

Mr. Harvey L. Thorpe of Los Angeles has secured one of the much coveted Rockefeller scholarships in the Chicago University on his merits secured while attending the medical department of the University of Southern California. He not only receives his tuition free, but gets his living and travelling expenses defrayed as well. Mr. Thorpe will continue his medical studies in Chicago and has the best wishes of his many friends in Covina. He left for Chicago Thursday evening.

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Mrs. Joseph Heath is confined to her residence this week by sickness.

See Miss Reckard about your hats while she still has a complete line of millinery.

Place your savings in the United States Savings Bank of Covina and secure 4 per cent.

Miss Anna Stanton of Chino spent the week at the home of her aunt and uncles on College street.

Mr. J. F. Rogers of Los Angeles is visiting at the home of Dr. and Miss Herren on Double avenue.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dana King on Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Patterson of Los Angeles.

S. A. Stowell of Charter Oak has purchased a Reo runabout through the agency of H. D. Blanchard.

News has reached here of the safe arrival of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Collins in England.

The Ladies Aid of the Baptist Church will hold an ice cream social on Friday, June 28th.

J. C. Prescott and wife of Long Beach, formerly of Covina, are spending the week here with old friends.

The Rev. and Mrs. Isaac Jewell, formerly of Covina, and now of Colton, spent the greater portion of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Lahee in Covina.

Mrs. and Miss Moxley, Mrs. Sanders and daughters and Mrs. Drakeen, spent a happy day on Monday, taking in the Balloon Route of the beaches.

Mr. and Mrs. Nash have been entertaining for the week the brother of the latter, Frank Johnson and his friend, Mr. Peck, who have just returned from a hunting trip in the mountains.

The condition of H. E. Otewalt, who has been dangerously ill with fever, at the home of his brother-in-law, J. Q. Hepner, shows slight improvement and he is again able to recognize his friends.

Word has been received, dated at Seattle, from Miss Josie Hanson, who left on Friday of last week to spend the summer at her eastern home in Brown's Valley, Minn. She reports a very enjoyable journey.

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For Sale—A tent, 10x10. Mrs. James Windell. 1f

Miss Olive Heckman of Gerard, Ill., spent the week end at the home of S. D. G. Anderson and family.

Ladies! we can take those spots off of that skirt, no matter how bad they are. Schumm, tailor.

The Farmers' Club are holding their annual picnic on the banks of Walnut wash today.

Miss Rose Nigg spent Friday and Saturday in Los Angeles, the guest of friends.

Mrs. Glover and Miss Etta Crouch spent Sunday in Ontario visiting old acquaintances from the East.

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Mrs. P. H. Connor is seriously ill in bed with rheumatism and other complications.

W. B. Gammiell and family moved from Long Beach this week onto the former Dowling ranch, which the have purchased.

Miss Hazel Tobby of Los Angeles, and Miss May Gould of Denver, Colorado, were guests of Mrs. George Seefeld from Saturday to Monday.

Mrs. F. L. Jackson has passed safely through an operation for appendicitis at the Pomona hospital and is recovering rapidly.

The largest and best equipped shop in Covina for painting carriages and automobiles is Wilson's, opposite postoffice.

We want every business man in Covina to have his suit cleaned and pressed next week and get ready for the opening of the electric line. Schumm, tailor.

Prof. Carl Leebrick, principal of the public schools of Clifton, Ariz., arrived Monday to spend his summer vacation at the home of his mother, Mrs. Mary Leebrick of W. College street.

For Sale—Good orange land, unimproved, near Covina. Also orange groves, three, five and ten acres, close in, on electric road; suitable for subdivision.

J. H. Matthews Co., sole agents.

Under management of C. J. Hall, a "Prohibition Chautauqua Assembly" will be held in a large tent in Covina for one week, June 25th to June 30th. Program will consist of lectures, concerts, stereopticon entertainments, etc.

Yesterday afternoon, exhibits of drawing, manual training work and many interesting articles from foreign countries were exhibited in the different rooms of the grammar school. Next week the Argus will give a detailed account of the exhibit.

About fifteen members of the Ladies Aid Society of the Brethren Church of Lordsburg met at the home of Mrs. Brubaker on San Bernardino road Thursday. The morning was spent in having a good time, and in the afternoon the regular meeting was held.

Mark Redall, merchant tailor of Salt Lake City, was a guest several days of his friends Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Glaze. Mr. Redall came to California on a sad journey, to take home the body of his father, who was drowned Sunday night in the irrigation ditch above the power house.

C. W. Potter, hardware merchant, in speaking of business conditions the other day said, "I am doing more business than at any time in my history; at times the volume of trade in my line astonishes me; it seems almost impossible to keep a sufficient supply. I never had such a demand for 'Perfection Oil Stoves' and 'Quick Meal Stoves'; it is no uncommon day's business to sell six of these favorite stoves."

Our popular mayor, E. H. Lahee, was seized with a sudden attack of illness on Sunday. The Covina doctors were all visiting patients, and after a great deal of trouble, Dr. Ellis of Anza was procured and it was decided to take Mr. Lahee on the 8 o'clock train to the California Hospital, Los Angeles. Mrs. Lahee was in Covina on Wednesday and reported the patient as being much more comfortable and it is now believed that the trouble will be relieved without the operation that was at first feared. Mr. Lahee will not be able to return home for some two or three weeks.

Obituary.

Mrs. Allen, aunt of I. M. Bartley of Grand avenue, who died at Pasadena last week, was buried by the Revs. Conley and E. Riley in Oakdale cemetery on Monday last.

Jonna Hammer was born Mar. 12, 1842, in Hamilton county Ind., and in girlhood moved to Hardin county, Ia. She married Zimri Allen, Jan. 30, 1859, and lived near Bangor, Iowa, until Oct. 1893, since which date wife and husband resided at Pasadena. Mrs. Allen died Saturday morning, June 8th. The funeral was held Sunday in the parlors of Adams, Turner & Stevens, undertakers, and was conducted by Rev. Edgar Riley, assisted by Rev. Buff. The interment took place Monday in Oakdale cemetery near Covina, where services were conducted by Rev. Riley and assisted by Rev. H. E. Ward and Rev. Conley. Three children blessed this home, Albert M. and Lydia C., both dying in infancy and Alonzo M. Allen of Des Moines, Ia., who was called to the bedside of his mother a few weeks ago. Mrs. Allen was well known by many of our readers. She was a girlhood chum of Mrs. L. Worrell, also great aunt of Mrs. Bartley and E. W. Worrell, and was much loved by all who knew her.

—Contributed.

An Open Letter.

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Notice of High School Bond Election.

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of Covina City High School District, of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, that in accordance with the provisions of the Political Code of the State of California, an election will be held on the first (1) day of July, 1907, at the grammar school building in said high school district, between the hours of one p.m. and five p.m. (during which period and between which hours the polls shall remain open), at which election the question of issuing and selling bonds of said high school district to the amount of sixty thousand (\$60,000) dollars, for the purpose of raising money for purchasing high school lots, for building a high school building, for supplying the same with furniture and necessary apparatus, and for improving the grounds, will be voted upon.

The said bonds hereunder to be issued and sold shall be of the denomination of six thousand (\$6,000) dollars each, and shall bear interest at the rate of five (5) per cent per annum, and shall be numbered from 1 to 10 consecutively as follows, to-wit:

- Bond No. 1, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run eleven years.
- Bond No. 2, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run twelve years.
- Bond No. 3, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run thirteen years.
- Bond No. 4, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run fourteen years.
- Bond No. 5, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run fifteen years.
- Bond No. 6, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run sixteen years.
- Bond No. 7, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run seventeen years.
- Bond No. 8, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run eighteen years.
- Bond No. 9, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run nineteen years.
- Bond No. 10, six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, to run twenty years.

That G. H. White will act as inspector, and A. W. Cushman and Robert J. Pollard will act as judges of said election, and conduct the same, said inspector and judges being competent and qualified electors of said High School District.

In witness whereof, we have hereunto set our hands this third day of June, 1907.

J. H. Coolman,
L. L. Ratekin,

High School Board of Covina City High School District, Los Angeles County, California.

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"Plugging" a Hotel Guest.
The hotel detective stepped out of the elevator and walked over to the counter.
"Well, I plugged him," he said.
"Plugged him? Who? What for? Where did you hit him?" quickly asked a friend who was standing by.
"Didn't hit him anywhere. Just plugged the keyhole of his door. Never hour of plugging before? When we have a guest whom we suspect is getting ready to leave without settling or whose credit is exhausted and fails to settle up, we just wait till he leaves his room and plug the keyhole in his door. Then he has to settle up or leave his baggage. The plug fits over the end of a key. It is placed in the lock and turned. The key is then withdrawn, leaving the plug in the door."
—Kansas City Star.

An Overlooked Detail.
When Chapple got up the other morning he wandered around his apartments in his pretty pink pajamas, the very picture of woe.
"What's the matter, sir?" inquired his valet.
"I don't know, Alphonse," he groaned. "I passed a most unhappy night."
Alphonse looked him over carefully.
"Oh, sir," he exclaimed, "I know what was the matter! The trousers of your pajamas were not creased. You must be more careful, sir. Those I had prepared for you were hanging across the foot of the bed."—Bohemian Magazine.

Cannae.
Cannae, where Hannibal won his greatest victory over the Romans, is situated on the opposite side of the peninsula from the city of Rome, on the river Aufidus and about six miles from its mouth. It was on this battlefield that Hannibal set to Carthage three bushels of gold rings from the fingers of the Roman knights slain in the battle. Cannae is about 200 miles from Rome.

The Worm Turned.
"Am I to understand, then," asked a disappointed poet as the editor handed back his latest productions, "that you do not like my verses?"
"Yes; I don't think much."
"Ah, you don't think! I see that explains it."

World Regeneration.
The world will only be regenerated by degrees and by reform of human character, a task that will always and of necessity remain the task of each and every member of the human race.
—Saturday Review.

Vanity.
Little Fred Why is it that women are always complaining about their servants? Little Elsie Oh, that's just to let people know they can afford to have 'em.—Chicago News.

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The Modern Method a Survival of a Barbaric Custom.

If fair young women sponsors who take a great deal of pride in breaking a bottle of champagne over the prow of a ship as she slides into the water for her first boat knew something about the origin and significance of the launching custom, the chances are they would not be so eager to see the bottle crash and the foaming liquid wet the sides of the vessel.

It is a survival of a barbaric custom when sacrifices were made to the gods and some living victim or offering was held up and its throat cut so that the blood flowed over the prow of the ship being launched. The vessel was baptized in warm blood. Now sparkling wine or pure water is used, and the change has many advantages, though the symbolism remains.

There is another curious custom aboard ship that is interesting in the way it has been handed down to us. When a dignitary visits a foreign country, the moment that his ship enters port a formal salute is fired as a signal of welcome. This custom was observed years ago, when it was considered the correct thing for a port to fire its guns to show the visiting stranger that the citizens and authorities placed such confidence in his friendliness that it was not considered necessary to keep the guns loaded, so all the shot was discharged.—New York Herald.

THE AIR BRAKE.

It Was Ushered Into Actual Use in Most Dramatic Fashion.

The air brake was ushered into actual use in most dramatic fashion. The trial trip occurred in April, 1869. The train selected was the Steubenville accommodation, running between Pittsburg and Steubenville, O.

When the train was going at full speed, suddenly as he came around a sharp curve the engineer saw a stalled wagon in the middle of the track dead ahead. With only hand brakes nothing could have prevented a terrible smashup. The formal time for the trial of the air brake had not come, but the brake was there, and in desperation, not believing for a moment that the thing could possibly avert, the engineer threw on the air. But it did avail.

The observers in the rear were almost catapulted out of their seats by the shock of the sudden stop. But when they saw the engine fairly poking its nose into the wagon bed, so narrow had been the margin between safety and disaster, they forgot all about their shock and stood in awed silence. The air brake had come into its own.—Everybody's Magazine.

Keyhole Tenure in London.

The curious custom of keyhole tenure still prevails at Crowland, the famous abbey town in the Lincolnshire fens, where there are a number of cottages which are neither copyhold, freehold nor leasehold. They were originally built on waste land, and in each case the possessor of the key holds an indisputable tenancy. Although some of the occupiers have replaced the mud and thatched dwellings of antiquity with brick and slated buildings, they have no power to sell or will them away, for they have no deeds. On a tenant dying the first person to cross the threshold takes his place if he so desires. Many devices have been resorted to to obtain the keys. The properties carry a county vote, but the poor law guardians always refuse to grant relief to the tenants.—London Globe.

A Vegetable Freak.

California has one tree which is the personification of mystery. Found nowhere else in the world, it had a mysterious origin and thrives in a region of mystery. The Mojave yucca is a vegetable freak which has developed into a species. It has the characteristics of several plants, to which no relationship can be traced. It is an endogen, yet its bark shows concentric rings such as characterize the exogenous stems. It lives and thrives in great numbers in a region nearly devoid of vegetation.—P. E. Magazine.

Elephants.

People who really know nothing about it used to say that elephants never lie down to sleep. This is not true at all, says one writer. They have been known to stand for twelve months without lying down to sleep. This is regarded as want of confidence in their keepers and of longing to regain their liberty, for when they are perfectly at ease and reconciled to their fate they will lie down on their sides and sleep peacefully.

A Flippant Jailbird.

"This confinement," said the long faced prison visitor, "must distress you greatly."

"Yes," replied the facetious convict, "I find the prison bars grating."

"Ah, life to you is a failure!"

"Yes; it's nothing but a cell."

Lazy.

Some friends were discussing an artist whose laziness was proverbial.

"He is so lazy," said one, "that he paints nothing but winter scenes to save himself the trouble of putting leaves on the trees."

The Seventh Time.

She—When I accepted Jack he said he felt as if he was in the seventh heaven. He—I can well believe it. He has been engaged six times before.—Flegende Blatter.

Assessment Notice.

Columbia Land & Water Company, location of principal place of business, Covina, California.

Notice is hereby given that at a regular meeting of the board of directors of the Columbia Land & Water Company, held on June 5th, 1907, an assessment of \$2.00 per share was levied on the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in lawful money of the United States of America to the secretary of the corporation at his office in Covina, California.

Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid on the 7th day of July, 1907, will be delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before, will be sold on the 1st day of August, 1907, at 8 p.m., to pay the delinquent assessment, together with cost of advertising and expense of sale.

J. H. MATTHEWS, Secretary.
Office of the company at Citrus avenue, Covina, Cal.

Notice of Stockholders' Meeting.

Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Covina Valley Savings Bank will be held at the office of the corporation in the city of Covina, Cal., on the ninth day of July, 1907, at ten o'clock a. m., for the purpose of amending Article one, Section one of the by-laws.

By order of Board of Directors.
J. C. HUTCHINSON, Jr., Secretary.

Notice for Publication.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Los Angeles, made on the 6th day of May, 1907, in the matter of the estate and guardianship of Lucinda Rockwell, a mentally incompetent person, in the matter of the above entitled estate, the undersigned administrator of the said estate will sell at private sale to the highest bidder for cash, in gold coin of the United States, and on such terms as may be satisfactory to said administrator and lawful, and subject to confirmation by the said Superior Court, on and after the first day of June, 1907, at the office of Wm. A. Gaines, attorney for said administrator and estate, room 10-11 Larronde Building, No. 134 1/2 North Spring street, City and County of Los Angeles, State of California, all the right, title, interest and estate of the said estate of Lucinda Rockwell, mentally incompetent, in and to all those certain lots, pieces or parcels of land, lying and being in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

Lot 17, in block 5, of the townsite of Covina, as per map in Book 9, pages 3-4, Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County, State of California, and all the personal property itemized and described in said petition.

Said real property so described is recorded in the office of the County Recorder of Los Angeles County, State of California.

Dated this 7th day of May, 1907.

LORENZO A. ROCKWELL,

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Social News

Mr. and Mrs. Madison Bashor entertained at dinner on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Smith of Hollywood and J. M. and Simon Bashor of Los Angeles.

A merry little supper party met at the home of Mrs. Wm. M. Griawold on Tuesday evening last, the guests being Rev. and Mrs. Stevens, Mr. and Mrs. Douglas and Mr. and Mrs. Dana King.

On Saturday evening, June 8th, a merry party of young people gathered at the home of Mrs. M. Leebriek to spend the evening in honor of the birthday of Miss Ruth Leebriek. The evening was pleasantly spent in games after which chocolate and wafers were served.

Several friends of Miss Gertrude Smith, who is to marry Mr. Shuey of Long Beach tomorrow, surprised her at her home Wednesday evening with a kitchen shower. Much merriment was caused over some of the articles presented to Miss Smith. The evening was spent with music and games. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

On Tuesday evening, June 11, Mr. and Mrs. James Boots entertained at their home on Third street a few friends at dinner in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Mitchell. The table and dining room were artistically decorated with pink carnations and ferns, while red geraniums and green foliage were carried out in the parlors. Besides the guests of honor there were present Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mitchell, Miss Jennie Bashor, Mr. and Mrs. M. Bashor and Mr. Oscar Miller.

The Ladies Aid of the Methodist Church and their husbands, to the number of over fifty, surprised Mrs. Reed at her home on Badillo street on Tuesday evening. Those who took part in the "Peak Sisters" wore their becoming costumes and approached the house singing the well known ditty, "Oh have you seen the doctor-man." Not a light was to be seen, but finally an entrance was forced and thereafter things went a humming. Part of the fun of the evening was an old-fashioned spelling bee, and some of those adults could put lots of our present day high school graduates to shame. Songs were sung and refreshments of ice cream served in "peaked" cornucopias and wafers. During the evening Mrs. Reed was presented with a beautiful picture by the Rev. H. W. White on behalf of the ladies.

The Monday Afternoon Club began the work of the new year under very favorable auspices. In the beautiful grounds of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Given at Charter Oak a large crowd of elegantly gowned ladies and a sprinkling of the sterner sex, contributed dollars which they had earned or raised to the amount of \$53.65, with a few more to come from absentees. In the rear of the Given residence is an immense live oak of perfectly circular shape which forms a natural tent under which were placed tables and chairs; overhead swung lanterns and bells, and the sunlight cast flickering leaf shadows on the ground. Near was a lawn, rookery of rare ferns and a background of tangled trees, vines and shrubbery. A varied program was given consisting of recitations by Miss Romig of San Dimas and Miss Marion Given, piano selections by Misses Faudler, Fletcher and Brunjes and a sweet violin solo by Miss Boss Given. Master Allison Given presided at a well patronized candy stall. Some very funny experiences were related, although most ladies pleaded guilty to having "raised" the dollars from the depths of their husband's pockets. Refreshments of sandwiches, tea and coffee, strawberry sherbet and cake were served.

Lost: Baby's red coat. Finder please leave at postoffice.

If we paint your buggy or automobile it will be done right. Willson's, opposite postoffice.

J. W. Carter of Santa Ana is stopping in Covina for a few months, looking for an orange grove.

Have your buggy painted at Willson's. The best work at moderate prices. Shop opposite postoffice.

Miss Alice Hepner, a Covina High School graduate, is possibly one of the happiest girls in our city, being the recipient of a beautiful Steinway piano from her mother as a graduation gift.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Elliott of San Pedro and Mrs. Alice and Laura Wood of Los Angeles, were the guests Saturday and Sunday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Goodell.

BOOKS AND BINDINGS.

A Critic's Comparison of the Modern With the Ancient.

"One of the strangest things about the early printing is the fact that the paper and binding were so much better than we have nowadays," said a St. Louis collector.

"I have books on my shelves printed and bound by presumably reputable firms, and yet after six or eight years of careful use the paper is coming to pieces and the bindings are gone, while side by side with them are books 300 years old with paper intact and the bindings as good as new. The difference is of course in honesty of material and work. In the old days a bible was allowed to lie in the tan for a year before it was bound. The paper was hand-made of real linen rags. Now book leather is ready two or three weeks after the calf has been skinned. Paper is machine made of heaven knows what. Of course there may be honest-made paper and strong binding now, as there were then, but a couple of hundred years ago good binding and paper were the rule. Now they are the rare, also the costly, exceptions. It is true that the high temperatures of the houses, the gases and coal fumes may have something to do with impairing leather bindings, for, as everybody knows, a stout cloth or canvas binding is better than the leather now used. The same influences may also damage the paper, but still the fact remains that neither the temperature nor the gases affect the work of the old printers, so the difference, after all, is one of quality."—St. Louis Globe-Democrat.

A COINCIDENCE.

As to "the long arm of coincidence," it may be as long as is necessary. Nothing is impossible to coincidence. An instance of my own experience, said Andrew Lang, convinces me of this fact. I had been reading a foolish book, "Out of the Hurly Burly," and some of the rhymes ran in my head. They began:

Bury Bartholomew out in the woods
In a beautiful hole in the ground.

In the afternoon I drove with a party of friends, and we took the refreshment of tea at a house where there were several other guests, all unknown to me even by name. As two of these lived at a place on our homeward route, they accompanied us in our vehicle. As we passed a wood on a hillside one of these anonymous strangers said to me, "This is the burial place of the Murrys of Glendubrac." I absently and automatically replied:

Bury Bartholomew out in the woods
In a beautiful hole in the ground.

A kind of chill blight settled on the party, though one of them tactfully asked me what poet I was quoting.

When we had set down our two strangers at their own home I was asked whether I knew the name of the gentleman on whom I had expended my poetical quotation? Of course I did not know, and of course his surname was Bartholomew, while, as he seemed in bad health, my citation had an air of brutal appropriateness. "Thus does fortune banter us," for Bartholomew is a most unusual name in Scotland.

Superstitious.

A well known New Yorker, while dining at his club one evening, observed that his order of oysters on the shell was not complete, there being only eleven bivalves instead of the dozen it was his custom to order. On reflecting that his waiter, an Irishman, was a newcomer, he decided to let the matter pass, but when on the next evening the same thing occurred he became a trifle impatient.

"See here," exclaimed he to the waiter, "what do you mean by bringing me eleven oysters when I order twelve? This is the second time that this thing has happened."

"Sure, sir," quietly responded the Celt, "I didn't think you would want to risk being thirteen at table, sir."

When Life is Wasted.

Life is wasted every time one gives away to gloomy, selfish angry or revengeful thoughts; when resentment or a grudge against man or fate is allowed to find root in the heart; when the temper is let fly loose over a trifle; when one goes to pieces nervously when obliged to repeat a remark and the voice is allowed to rise in anger; when one forgets that a loose temper is a sign of vulgarity and lack of culture.—Philadelphia Press.

Julius Caesar.

The consensus of learned opinion is to the effect that history's all around greatest man was Julius Caesar, the originator of Roman imperialism. Caesar was great as a general and great as a writer and speaker, but greater as a statesman. Could he have been spared the assassin's dagger and been permitted to live ten years longer he might have set civilization ahead a full thousand years. New York American.

Mixed.

Mrs. Gadsby—I'll get even with Mrs. Gabbie. Mrs. Gibby—What has she done to you? Mrs. Gadsby—She told me that Mrs. Guffy wasn't at home, so I hurried over to make a call on her, and she was at home, after all.—Cincinnati Leader.

Friends Now.

Tom—Have you had any spats with your girl lately? Dick—No. We're great friends now. Tom—How's that? Dick—We've broken off our engagement.—Philadelphia Press.

Church News

Christian Church services: Sunday-school 9:45. At 11 o'clock the pastor will preach; subject, "A Victorious Church." Junior meeting 3 o'clock. Endeavor service 7. At 8 o'clock Rev. H. W. White will deliver the address to the graduates of the Covina High School.

The Presbyterian services in the morning will be conducted by the Sabbath-school in observance of Children's Day. A program of exercises, songs and recitations has been prepared and will be rendered, opening at 10:45. All are cordially invited. There will be no evening service.

Services in the Church of the Holy Trinity, third Sunday after Trinity: Holy Communion 7:30 a.m. Sunday school 9:45 a.m. Morning Prayer 11 a.m.; subject, "Religion on Business Principles." Evensong 7:30 p.m. Offertory solo by Miss Modell, "My Faith in Thee."

The corner stone dedication of the Methodist church arranged for Sunday, June 23, is to be an all-day affair. Dr. Libby, a former pastor, speaks at 11 a.m. and at 3 p.m. the corner stone laying takes place. Dr. Eli McClish and other celebrities of the church are to be present at this service. All who can come in the morning are invited to bring a basket lunch and stay to the afternoon service.

At the Methodist Church Sunday the morning service will be one of special interest, as a large class of probationers will then be received into full membership. The usual Sunday-school and Epworth and Junior League services. No evening service however, as this church will join with the others in the baccalaureate service at the Christian Church.

An all-day meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Christian Church was held on Wednesday. There was a full attendance of the members and a good meeting was held under the leadership of Mrs. Beardsley. The subject of Mormonism was discussed, Mrs. H. E. Ward leading off with a fine paper on the subject. Lunch was served and in the afternoon the usual business and needle work filled the time.

Mrs. Griawold spent Monday in Long Beach, the guest of Mrs. L. M. Jeffries, and attended a social musicale of the Woman's Club there.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Peck who on June 11 were within 40 miles of the Yosemite. They are delighted with their Reno runabout, which has fulfilled every requirement of the trip.

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Mrs. Moxley and Mrs. T. E. Finch, reported sick, last week are both improving rapidly.

Mrs. E. C. Snell and baby of Wellington, Kansas, is spending the week with Mrs. Harahan. Mrs. Snell is spending the winter with her husband's parents at Orange.

Mr. Emmons Cook is tearing down his home on Double avenue with a view to rebuilding. His mother, Mrs. H. T. Cook, who has been seriously ill, is much improved.

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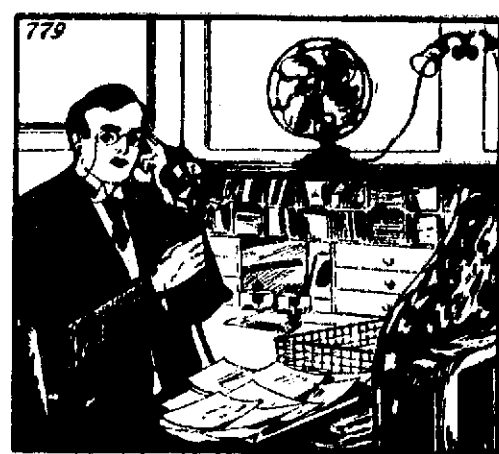
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